

**NORTH CARROLL RECREATION COUNCIL
IN COOPERATION WITH CARROLL COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
AND PARKS IS OFFERING THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS
FEBRUARY 2014**



MEMBERSHIP

Join now to become a member of the North Carroll Recreation Council (NCRC). Prices are \$15.00 for a one year membership, \$25.00 for a two year membership and \$45.00 for a five year membership. As a member you will enjoy discounts on all NCRC programs and activities. You will also receive newsletters to keep you informed of recent and upcoming events. **Membership allows you the opportunity to provide input to any of the NCRC activities and attend council meetings in the Senior Center (across from North Carroll Middle School on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 8:00 p.m.)** To register, please download the registration form on our website www.northcarrollrec.org , complete and mail it to the address identified on the form.

HORSEBACK RIDING (ENGLISH)

Country Hill Farm is a great place to learn how to ride - Beginner to Advanced English riding lessons. We are open to the public. Country Hill Farm will be hosting horse shows in March, April and May. For more information go onto our website www.countryhillhorsefarm.com or call 410-876-2950.

HOTSHOTS - SOFTBALL

The North Carroll Hotshots Fastpitch Softball Program is currently accepting registrations for our rec softball program at this time. Age groups are 8u/10u/12u and 14u. We also offer a skills format team for players 6u. If you have any questions feel free to contact Mike at 410-259-7426 or thummp1616@aol.com. You can also visit www.ncrshotshots.org to register.

FIELD HOCKEY

Look for registration for the upcoming fall season in May. Field Hockey is open to grades K-8. For more information go to www.leaguelineup.com/ncrcfieldhockey.

SUMMER PLAYGROUND

Summer Playground is beginning our planning for the Summer of 2014. Our home has moved this year. We will be at Hampstead Elementary on June 23-27 and July 7-11. We are excited to add new activities and materials this summer. Additional information will be provided to the North Carroll and Westminster area schools shortly. Volunteers who need to earn service hours will be in high demand. See High School Service Coordinators for more information after March. Further information can be directed to Rhonda Wastler (301)788-0643, Camp Director.

SOCCER

Spring Soccer Registration is Open Now! You can register for our Spring Soccer leagues until March 1st, so get to www.northcarrollrec.org and register now. This spring we will be offering leagues for players from age 4 to 17. Check out www.northcarrollsoccer.com for more details. It isn't too early to start thinking about the fall. Fall Soccer registration will open in the beginning of May, once again with details posted on www.northcarrollsoccer.com. If you have any questions about our soccer programs, drop us a line at northcarrollsoccer@gmail.com.

BASKETBALL

The North Carroll Rec Council Basketball championships are scheduled for Saturday, March 8th at North Carroll High School starting with 3/4 grade girls and ending with 7/8 boys. Final times are being confirmed and will be posted online. All N.C.R.C. In-house players will receive a slice of pizza and a drink.

RECREATIONAL VOLLEYBALL

Recreational Volleyball Night coming in April for ages 3rd grade through 7th grade. Please contact Teri Leatherwood at tleatherwo@aol.com for details.

SUMMER BEGINNER VOLLEYBALL CAMP

The Summer Beginner Volleyball Camp will be held at Manchester Valley High School from June 16th - June 20th from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. The camp will be for ages - entering 4th through 8th grade. The cost is \$70.00. For more information contact - tleatherwo@aol.com.

TENNIS

NCRC Tennis Program - Registering Now for Spring!

The NCRC Tennis program is excited to announce that registration is now open for our spring tennis session! The spring session starts the last week of March and runs to the week of May 17th (May 23rd for weather make-ups). This spring we are forming Junior Tennis Teams for our 8 and under (8U), 10 and under (10U), 12 and under (12U), 14 and under (14U) and 18 and under (18U) age groups. Each age group will meet two days a week, once for practice with an instructor and once for matches against a team in their age group. Matches will follow the USTA Junior Team Tennis format for the mid-Atlantic district. Actual dates and times of practices for each age group will be published as soon as possible on the website at <http://www.northcarrolltennis.com>. A summer session will also be offered between early June and late July this year. To join our mailing list, ask questions or to learn more about our service learning volunteer opportunities, e-mail us at ncrctennis@gmail.com. Links to online registration and more information can be found by visiting <http://www.northcarrolltennis.com>.

N.C.R.C. YOGA

The Winter/Spring 2014 session is underway. Classes are held on Monday and Wednesday evening from 7:00 to 8:15 p.m. in the N.C. Senior Center Activity Room. Feel free to come and try the class and experience yoga. The session runs for a total of 15 weeks, into May 2014 and the cost for the session will be prorated based on your start date. If you have any questions, feel free to call [\(443-829-8969\)](tel:443-829-8969) or email (jennzeller@gmail.com) Namaste!

ADA STATEMENT: Accessibility Notice: The Americans with Disabilities Act applies to the Carroll County Government and its programs, services, activities and facilities. If you have questions, suggestions, or complaints, please contact Jolene Sullivan, the Carroll County Government Americans with Disabilities Act Coordinator, at 410-386-3600.

HOOKED ON HOOPS BASKETBALL CAMPS (9TH ANNUAL CAMP)

Basketball Camp will be held at Manchester Valley High School. It is directed by MVHS Girls' Varsity Basketball Coach and Mount Saint Mary's University Standout, Heather Wable DeWees.

Skills & Drills Academy AM Sessions will be:

Session #1: July 14th - 17th

Session #2: July 21st - 24th

Monday - Thursday 8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. The camp is for Boys & Girls ages 5 - 14 years old.

The Skills & Drills Academy focuses on the basic fundamentals that all basketball players should master.

Designed for boys & girls of EVERY talent level, the academy encourages all players to work on their weaknesses by teaching them the appropriate drills to do so.

ADVANCED Skills & Drills Academy* PM Sessions

*must attend AM session to sign up for ADVANCED

Session #1: July 14th - 16th

Session #2: July 21st - 23rd

Monday - Wednesday - 12:30-3:00 p.m. for Boys & Girls ages 8 - 14 years old.

The ADVANCED* Skills & Drills Academy extends campers' knowledge gained in the AM sessions through advanced drills & fundamental instruction. Players are given the opportunity to implement these skills in 3 on 3 or 5 on 5 scrimmages. The camp will also focus on guard & forward position instruction in addition to acute training in offense, defense & transition team strategies.

* Advanced PM campers must attend AM session(s).

PRICES

1 Skills & Drills Academy only:	FULL PRICE	NCRC Discount	SIBLING Discount	NCRC & SIBLING Discount
BEFORE June 1	\$ 100	\$ 95	\$ 95	\$ 90
AFTER June 1	\$ 110	\$ 105	\$ 105	\$ 100

1 S&D Academy	FULL	NCRC	SIBLING	NCRC & SIBLING
<u>& 1 ADVANCED:</u>	<u>PRICE</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>
BEFORE June 1	\$ 150	\$ 140	\$ 140	\$ 130
AFTER June 1	\$ 160	\$ 150	\$ 150	\$ 140

BOTH	FULL	NCRC	SIBLING	NCRC & SIBLING
<u>S & D Academies:</u>	<u>PRICE</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>
BEFORE June 1	\$ 180	\$ 175	\$ 175	\$ 170
AFTER June 1	\$ 200	\$ 195	\$ 195	\$ 190

ALL	FULL	NCRC	SIBLING	NCRC & SIBLING
<u>SESSIONS</u>	<u>PRICE</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>	<u>Discount</u>
BEFORE June 1	\$ 280	\$ 260	\$ 260	\$ 240
AFTER June 1	\$ 300	\$ 280	\$ 280	\$ 260

PRICES above are for EACH CAMPER per session.

FULL PRICE applies to ONE non-NCRC camper attending

Sibling Discount applies to TWO or more siblings attending

NCRC Discount applies to North Carroll Recreation Council Members. Please provide your Member Number.

*** TEAM DISCOUNTS ARE AVAILABLE AS WELL. The Camp includes a FREE T-shirt, small camper to staff ratio and personalized attention. Campers staying for both AM and PM will need to pack a lunch. ***TEAM DISCOUNT also available for 5 or more players from the SAME Rec, Travel, Middle School or AAU team.

Camp Phone: 443-375-7757 or Email: HookdHoops@aol.com for additional questions or a brochure. BROCHURES AVAILABLE by FEB 15th @ NorthCarrollRec.org

BASKETBALL CAMP FOR BOYS

Manchester Valley will hold two weeks of basketball camps for boys currently in grades 4 - 8. The camps will be held the week of June 16 - June 20 and the week of July 7 - July 11. Camp fliers will be available at area schools or contact Bernie Koontz at bwkoont@carrollk12.org.

JUNIOR GOLF PROGRAM

The 2014 session of the Carroll county junior golf program is now open for registration. We are looking for kids who enjoy playing golf with their peers in a tournament environment. The age groups range from 7 to 17 and are broken down into age groups (7-8, 9-10 and so forth). We will be playing 5 events this summer at area golf courses starting in early June and ending in late August. Please check out our website for more information or email Lee Bopst at lbopstIII@verizon.net.

STRIKING COBRA NEWSLETTER

Striking Cobra Martial Arts is ready for spring and summer with our 15th year in with the NCRC. SCMA is a Kenpo - based style infused with judo and jujitsu. We welcome both children (7 years old and up) and adults (any age), with classes being held on Tuesdays (Children 6:30-7:30 and Adults 7:30 -8:30) our Friday classes are combined and run from 6:30-7:30.

We are located on Route 27 in West Chester Square. We share space with the NCRC Dance program. Tuition for SCMA is due monthly, with no contracts to sign. For additional information contact us at strikingcobrama@gmail.com or come in to talk to someone in person. **Your first class is always free!**

WESTERN WINTER RIDING PROGRAMS, SWEET ROCK STABLES, INC.

Located at 5112 Roller Road, Millers, MD. The contact number is 410-374-3870.

WESTERN RECREATIONAL RIDING LESSONS - WINTER SPECIAL \$25.00 Riding Lessons - OFFER ENDS MARCH 30TH 2014

Hourly private western riding lessons are available in our indoor lighted arena. You will learn proper grooming and saddling of your horse. The cost of your first lesson is \$25.00 which is a \$15.00 savings. For more information contact your coordinator Roxy Baldwin 410-374-3870 or Roxy@sweetrockstables.com

Summer Camp

Watch our Web site for dates and additional information

www.SweetRockstables.com

SCHOLARSHIP ENTRIES

The North Carroll Recreation Council will again offer scholarships in the amount of up to \$1,500.00 to any qualified high school senior. This scholarship was established to reward graduating seniors who actively participated in any N.C.R.C. program or contributed as a volunteer and wish to further their education. Application forms and additional information may be obtained from the North Carroll High School Guidance Office, Manchester Valley High School Guidance Office or the North Carroll Branch of the Carroll County Library. Completed applications must be postmarked on or before April 15, 2014. For more information contact J.D. McGurn at NCRCScholarship@yahoo.com.

N.C.R.C. SUMMER FIELD HOCKEY CAMP

NCRC Summer Field Hockey Camp will be held the week of June 16-20 at North Carroll High School. Depending upon CCPS snow make-up days, the camp will be held from either 8:00 am - 10:30 am or 5:30 pm - 8:00 pm. Any questions contact Denean Koontz at dhkoont@carrollk12.org.

FOOTBALL AND CHEERLEADING

The 2013 was another great year for North Carroll Titans Football & Cheer and the NC Titans were once again the strongest program in Carroll County. The majority of our football teams had winning records and our cheerleaders culminated their season by competing at University of Maryland's Cole Field House.

The Titans take great pride in providing the highest overall experience for our families including small team sizes, multiple levels of play, top notch equipment, a press box with game announcers and music, a homecoming festival, great concessions, and an outstanding painted natural turf game field. We plan to continue expanding our football & cheer experience this season including upgrading player equipment, new uniforms, and improvements to our game facilities.

The 2014 season is approaching and we are excited to welcome both new and old friends. Registration for football & cheer will be opening as of March 1st online at www.ncrcfootball.com. We will be announcing in person registration times for this spring and important dates for equipment and practice starting this summer. For updates and information please visit www.ncrcfootball.com or call 443-744-9085.

BALLET, DANCE, JAZZ

The NCRC Dance Studio is in the heart of preparation for this Spring's recital! We currently are not accepting new dance students, but will open up our summer enrollment in the next month or so. This summer, we'll offer various classes for all ages & experience levels during the month of July. We'll also offer 4 Summer Dance Camps, which are the highlight of our summer program. Dance Camps are held Monday through Thursday from 9:00 am-4:00 pm & on Friday from 9:00 am-12:00 pm. Dancers are instructed in ballet/lyrical, tap, jazz/hip hop, & acrobatics each week & learn 4 small, fun routines for a short performance held for family & friends at the conclusion of the week. Dancers also work closely with teachers and experienced student helpers to create all of their costumes, props, & sets for the show! It is a super fun week for all involved- a great way to spend a week (or two) this summer!!!! The cost for each week of Dance Camp is \$185.00 per week.

NCRC Summer Dance Camp Weeks Include:

June 30th - July 4th

July 21st - July 25th

August 4th - August 8th

Don't forget to check out our dancers in action! D&J's Dynamite Dance Company, our in-house intensive dance group, perform their 13th Annual Company Showcase on Saturday, May 31st, 2014 at North Carroll High School at 7:00 pm. You won't want to miss this special evening, full of amazing talent! Also, all of our NCRC Dance Students will be featured in 3 recitals this June, concluding their 2013-2014 dance experience. The NCRC Dance performances will be held on Friday, June 20th, 2014 (7:00 pm) & Saturday, June 21st, 2014 (12:00 pm & 7:00 pm). We nearly sell out all 3 shows, so we advise that you get your tickets early on! For more information regarding tickets for any of our shows this Spring, contact the studio at 410-374-0622 or email us at ncrcdance@live.com.

Information regarding our summer dance programs will be posted on our website in the next month or so. In the meantime, check us out online at www.ncrcdance.org & www.djdynamitedance.com.

Looking forward to warmer weather & lots more dance fun! Thanks to everyone who supports dance as part of our community!

MANCHESTER BASEBALL

We are still accepting online registration for Manchester Baseball. Their website is www.manchesterbaseball.org. Their email address is manchesterbaseballassociation@gmail.com